BTEC Assignment Brief

Qualification	Pearson BTEC International Level 3 Diploma in Horticulture Pearson BTEC International Level 3 Extended Diploma in Horticulture
Unit number and title	Unit 43: Constructing Decorative Landscape Features
Learning aim(s)	**B** Plan the construction and management of decorative landscape features **C** Carry out the construction of decorative landscape features to meet planned specifications
Assignment title	**Decorative landscape works project**
Assessor	
Issue date	
Hand in deadline	

Vocational Scenario or Context	You have been commissioned by a private client to carry out specifications and constructions plans for **two** decorative landscape features in established garden areas. Your client has approved the initial specifications. and you will now commence work.
Task 1	Produce a portfolio of evidence of works which includes: • evidence of carrying out practical site preparation and construction activities • a review of the completed work, including necessary corrections, repairs or alterations. Your evidence portfolio must show that you have: • produced specifications, with relevant detail, for **two** decorative landscape features and most of the associated site preparation works • sourced and priced all materials, fixtures and fittings • produced **two** scaled, construction detail plans with accurate specification information that includes appropriate industry standards • produced an accurate and complete plan to manage the safe and timely construction process for each decorative landscape feature. The management plan will include a detailed and comprehensive time schedule that identifies all tasks from site preparation to the quality review of finished works • a risk assessment for all identified construction and clearance activities, and method statement.
Checklist of evidence required	A portfolio of evidence.
Criteria covered by this task:	
Unit/ Criteria reference	To achieve the criteria you must show that you are able to:

B.D2	Produce comprehensive plans for the construction and management of decorative landscape features.
C.D3	Demonstrate complex and efficient construction activities for a decorative landscape feature, justifying the methods used.
B.M2	Plan complex decorative feature construction.
B.M3	Produce detailed management plans for the construction of decorative landscape features.
C.M4	Demonstrate complex construction activities for a decorative landscape feature.
C.M5	Analyse methods used in the construction of a decorative landscape feature.
B.P3	Plan basic decorative feature construction.
B.P4	Produce simple management plans for the construction of decorative landscape features.
C.P5	Demonstrate basic construction activities for a decorative landscape feature.
C.P6	Explain methods used in the construction of a decorative landscape feature.

Sources of information to support you with this Assignment	**Books** Young, C. (2017). *RHS Encyclopaedia of Garden Design: Planning, Building and Planting Your Perfect Outdoor Space*. London: DK Blake, J. (2015). *An Introduction to Landscape and Garden Design*. 2nd ed. London: Ashgate. Brickell, C. (2017). *The RHS Essential Garden Planning and Construction*. London: Mitchell Beazley. **Journals/Magazines** *Garden Design Journal* *Gardens Illustrated* *Landscape and Urban Design* *Modern Gardens* **Websites** simplybusiness.co.uk rhs.org.uk/advice/design